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SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY GREETINGS TO KING KHALID FROM THE PRESIDENT

1. SEPTEMBER 23 IS THE SAUDI ARABIAN NATIONAL DAY. A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO KING KHALID ON THIS OCCASION IS APPROPRIATE. PRESIDENT FORD SENT A MESSAGE TO THE LATE KING FAISAL LAST YEAR. A MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY IS NOT NECESSARY AT THIS TIME, THOUGH MESSAGES FROM BOTH THE PRESIDENT AND THE SECRETARY WILL BE APPROPRIATE ON THE OCCASION OF THE FORTHCOMING HOLY DAYS--'ID AL FITR.

2. THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A PROPOSED MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT: ON THE NATIONAL DAY OF THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA I EXTEND TO YOUR MAJESTY AND TO THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF YOUR GREAT NATION MY WARM PERSONAL GREETINGS AND THOSE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. IT IS OUR SINCERE HOPE THAT THE CONTINUED COOPERATION OF OUR TWO NATIONS WILL FURTHER ADVANCE THE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE AND JUSTICE FOR WHICH OUR PEOPLE STRIVE. WITH VERY BEST WISHES. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD.

3. REQUEST APPROVAL OF THIS MESSAGE OR ALTERNATE TEXT BY COB WASHINGTON TIME SEPTEMBER 22 TO ALLOW TIME FOR TRANSLATION AND DELIVERY MORNING SEPT 23.
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